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APPLICATION FOR REISSUE OF:

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS (37 CFR 1.173)

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification and Claims in double column copy of patent format (amended, if appropriate)
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (proposed amendments, if appropriate)
5. ☐ Reissue Oath/Declaration (original or copy)
(37 C.F.R. § 1.175) (PTO/SB/51 or 52)
6. ☐ Power of Attorney
7. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned? ☒ Yes ☐ No
(If Yes, check applicable box(es))
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 - ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement (PTO/SB/96)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

10. ☒ Statement of status and support for all changes to the claims. See 37 CFR 1.173 (c).
11. ☐ Original U.S. Patent for surrender
 - ☐ Ribbonded Original Patent Grant
 - ☐ Statement of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
12. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119) (if applicable)
13. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
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SLUTTER-RE**Claims as Filed - Part 1**

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Re: Warren SLUTTER et al.
New U.S. Patent Application
Application No. Unknown Filed: Herewith
Reissue of U.S. Patent No. 5,995,221 Dated: November 30, 1999
Attorney Docket No. SLUTTER-RE
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SIR:


We enclose herewith:

- ☒ Reissue Patent Application Transmittal Letter;
- ☒ Reissue Application Fee Transmittal Form;
- ☒ Copy of Issued Patent With Certificate of Correction (13 pp);
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment with Status of Claims and Support for Claim Changes;
- ☒ Seven (7) Sheets of Drawings;
- ☒ Acknowledgment Postcard.

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